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Applicant : Takahito Itoh, et al. Confirmation No. 3293  
Application No. : 10/594,997  
Filed : January 24, 2007  
Title : SOLID-STATE POLYMER ELECTROLYTE MEMBRANE, METHOD  
FOR MANUFACTURE THEREOF AND SOLID-STATE POLYMER  
ELECTROLYTE FUEL CELL THEREWITH  
  
Grp./Div. : 1764  
Examiner : Henry S. Hu  
  
Docket No. : 66296/L550

**COMMENTS ON STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE**

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Applicant believes the Examiner's stated reasons for allowance are unnecessary. The applicant does not necessarily agree with each statement in the reasons for allowance. While applicant agrees that the claims are allowable, applicant does not acquiesce with each statement in the reasons for allowance, that patentability requires each stated feature exactly as expressed by the Examiner, nor that each stated feature is required for patentability.

Respectfully submitted,

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